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RE: Government-to-Government Consultation and Coordination on Proposed UIC Permit Issuance to Catalyst Energy, Inc.; PAS2D015BMCK

Dear Mr. Rowsey:

The Seneca Nation is in receipt of Acting Regional Administrator Diana Esher's letter dated March 2, 2021, which offers the Nation the opportunity to comment on the draft permit PAS2D015BMCK and to consult and coordinate with Region III on this matter. Please take notice that the Seneca Nation accepts this offer. The Seneca Nation Water Resources Working Group currently is reviewing Catalyst Energy's permit application for a Class II-D disposal well proposed to be located in McKean County, Pennsylvania. We will forward to you the Working Group's comments in the near future. Additionally, the Seneca Nation looks forward to engaging in government-to-government consultation through which our relevant concerns regarding the project associated with PAS2D015BMCK may be shared and discussed with you.

Please contact us to establish a date and time for consultation. You may contact Seneca Nation Environmental Protection Department Acting Director Clifford C. Redeye III to schedule the consultation: clifford.redeye@sni.org or 716-945-1790 ex. 3191.

Sincerely

Matthew B. Pagels, President

Electronic cc: Grant Jonathan, U.S. EPA Region II